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For:

NOZZLE FOR SUPPORTING A WEFT THREAD IN A

WEAVING MACHINE

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION OF July 7, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed July 7, 2006. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and comments presented herein.

AMENDMENTS

Amendments to Specification:

The specification is amended as shown on the following pages under the heading "AMENDMENTS TO SPECIFICATION".

Amendments to Claims:

The claims are amended as shown on the following pages under the heading "LIST OF CURRENT CLAIMS". The listing of claims supersedes all prior lists of claims presented in this application and shows all amendments presented therein. Any cancellation of claims is made without prejudice or disclaimer.